

Ohio State Colleges/Units Involved

College of Education and Human Ecology
Crane Center for Early Childhood Research and Policy
College of Nursing
College of Public Health
OSU Extension
Nisonger Center
Wexner Medical Center
Moms2B

Community Partners Involved

Action for Children
Caring Communities Birth-3
Center for Healthy Families
Children's Hunger Alliance
Columbus Public Health
Community Properties of Ohio
Franklin County Board of Developmental Disabilities
Franklin County Department of Jobs and Family Services
Franklin County Children and Families First Council/Help Me Grow
Nationwide Children's Hospital
New Directions Career Center
St. Vincent Family Center
Twelve Licensed Child Care Centers
Seven Licensed Type B Family Child Care Homes

The Ohio State University Early Head Start Partnership Program

Purpose

The Ohio State University Early Head Start Partnership Program provides quality early education to 160 infants and toddlers living in areas of high poverty in Columbus.

Comprehensive services, including health, mental health, nutrition, and social services are also provided to the children and their families.

OSU-EHS partners with twelve child care centers and seven family child care homes located in high risk zip codes. This is a five year grant which began in February 2015.

Impact

Expand access to high quality services for low income infants, toddlers, and their families.

Create a network of community partnerships as a base to provide high quality comprehensive services (i.e., mental health, medical, nutrition, disabilities, education, family stability and support).

Engage parents in their role as primary caregivers for their children and move parents toward self-sufficiency.



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How you can get involved:

- Support our partners
- Donate supplies (board books, diapers, etc).
- Volunteer opportunities
- Provide professional resources

To get involved, contact:

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